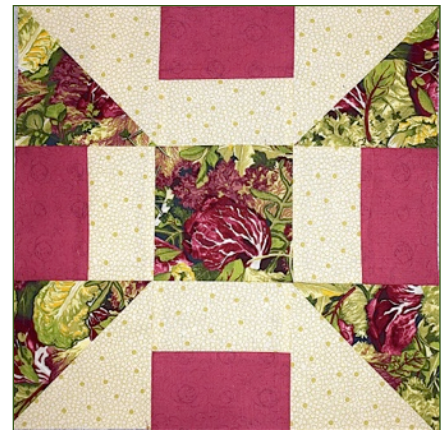


FARM FRIENDLINESS

November 2019

Size: 12 1/2 inches (unfinished)



Sample block

Fabrics

This month we are visiting a farm to buy fresh fruits and vegetables. For (D) and (E) choose ONE fabric depicting your favorite fruit or vegetable. Then choose TWO (2) coordinating tone-on-tone or solid fabrics for (A), (B), and (C). (A) and (B) are the same fabric.

Cutting Directions

(A) & (D)

Cut TWO 5-inch squares from Coordinating Fabric (A) and TWO 5-inch squares from Fruit or Vegetable Fabric (D). Make Half-Square Triangles (HST) by drawing a diagonal line on the wrong side of the TWO (A) squares. Place the (A) and (D) squares right sides together, and sew a scant 1/4" on both sides of the penciled line. Cut apart on that line, press the seams toward the darker fabric, then trim the squares so they measure 4 1/2". You will have 4 HST for the corners.

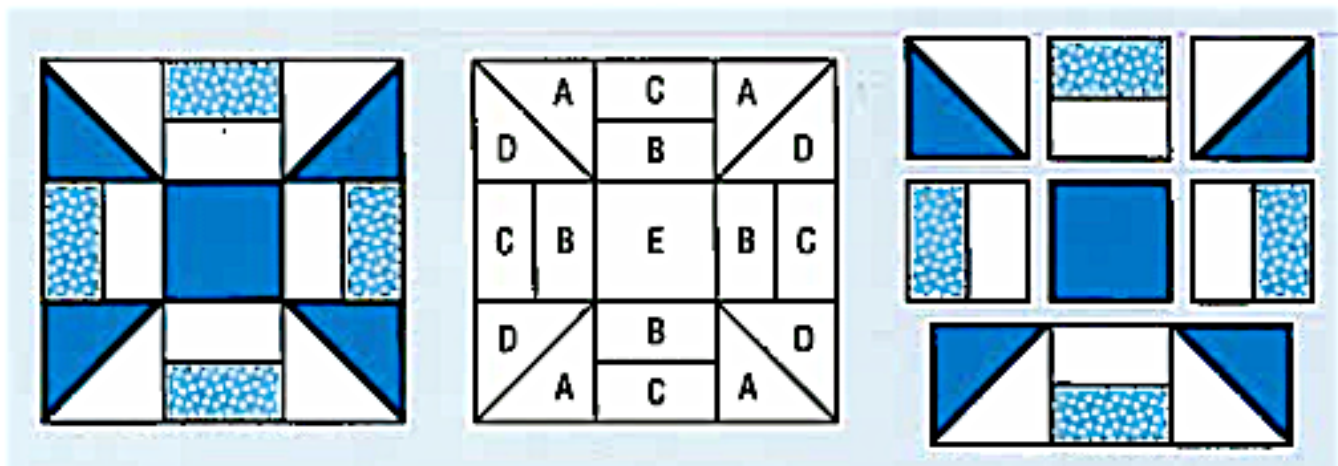
(B) & (C)

From Coordinating Fabrics (B) & (C) cut strips that are 2 1/2" x 19". Sew the strips together along the long edges, press the seams toward the darker fabric, then subcut into FOUR 4 1/2" squares.

(E)

For the center square (E) cut a 4 1/2" square from the Fruit or Vegetable Fabric.

Arrange the squares as shown in the picture on the right and sew together. In the top and bottom rows, press the seams toward the center; in the middle row press the seams away from the center square.



YOUR BLOCK SHOULD MEASURE 12 1/2" X 12 1/2". DO NOT TRIM IT!